HERE AND THERE IN LEGISLATURE

Strong Effort Being Made to Secure Small Appropriation for Negro Exhibit.

BANK TAX LAW IS CHANGED

Important House Bill Passed by Senate on Saturday-Other Measures Adopted.

House Bills Passed by Senate.

To authorize the Council of the town of Cape Charles, in Northampton county, to issue bonds and borrow money thereon for the purpose of increasing the water supply and sewerage system of the said town, and retiring, in whole or part, its existing bonded indebtedness for money horrowed with which to install its present system.

To repeal an act entitled "An act to suppress tippling houses, the illegal and unlawful sale or traffic in ardent spirits in the counties of Lancaster, Richmond, Northumberland and Westmoreland, and to provide a penalty therefor," approved April 2, 1902, of acts of Assembly of 1901 and 1902.

To amend and re-enact section 43 of an act entitled "An act to raise revence for the support of the government and free schools and to pay the interest on the public debt and to provide a special tax for pensions, as authorized by section 188 of the Constitution," approved April 16, 1903, as amended by an act approved March 14, 1904.

To amend and re-enact section 41 of the Code of Virginia, as amended and re-enact section 3521 of the Code of Virginia, as amended by an act approved March 14, 1904.

To amend and re-enact section 41 of the Code of Virginia, as amended and re-enact section 3521 of the Code of Virginia, as amended by an act entitled "An act to raise revenies for the support of the code of Virginia, as amended and re-enact section 3521 of the Code of Virginia, as amended by an act entitled "An act to raise revenies for the code of Virginia, as amended by an act approved March 14, 1904.

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titled to. The stockholder is required to furnish an affidavit of the amount of deduction which he claims, and must swear that he has not made, and will not make, this deduction from any other security or property.

It is believed that the measure safeguards the interests of both the State and the stockholders better than has been done by any previous statute.

Bills Passed.

Bills Passed by the General Assembly at the sessions on Saturday as follows:

House Bills Passed by Senate.

To authorize the Council of the town of Cape Charles, in Northampton county and city, fees or clerk.

Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided,

Prisoners in Henrico Jali to Be Takes to Newport News.

Old Ranchman Views Legislature

ne Code of Virginia, as lenning a lawful fence.

FINAL STRUGGLE WILL COME TO-DAY

board. A few bills may be passed while the conferees are deliberating, which will be but a short time, as they have doubtless already pretty well outlined their second report.

Both houses will continue in session for the trensaction of routine matters, such as signing enrolled bills, for which the presence of a quorum is not necessary.

necessary.

The Assembly will return on the 25th, listen to an address by the Hon, William J. Bryan, relieve Judge J. W. G. Blackstone of his official duties, elect his successor, and the Législature of 1908 will have passed into history.

ALLEGED DESERTERS

to the mother's shapeliness.
All of this can be avoided, however, by the use of Mother's Friend before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. Mother's Friend overcomes all the danger of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this wonderful remedy. Sold by all druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Our little book, telling all about this liniment, will be sent free.

The Braffled Regulater Ca., Attails, Ca.

To the mother's shapeliness.
All of this can be avoided, to knewport News. and sames as A. C. Clayton and Edward Nowman, were eccently arrested by speaking on the property of the Chesa-peake and Ohlo Rallway, and were placed in Henrico county jail. Yester-day morning Detective Angle received a telegram from the United States receiving ship Franklin, instructing him to take the men to Nownort News, and stating that they were deserters from the United States receiving ship Franklin, instructing him to take the men to Nownort News, and stating that they were deserters from the United States receiving ship Franklin, instructing him to take the men to Nownort News, and to take the men to Nownort News, and stating that they were deserters from the United States receiving ship Franklin, instructing him to take the men to Nownort News, and to take the men to Nownort News, and to take the men to Nownort News, and of the telegram the clothes of the prisoners were examined by Deputy Sheriff Garnett. Beneath the citizens' suits they were the regulation uniforms of marines, bearing the names E. Earl and E. C. Carson. The men, who protective M. S. Angle for tress and the deserter of the property of the Chesa.

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Misr Elma Figg was hostess of party given at her residence, No. 7. North Twenty-third Street, on Tudy evening. Among those preservere:
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Elma Figg,
Alice McGhec,
Bessle and
Beatrice Hall,
Ruby Peay,
Margaret Yates,
Ida Overby,
Lena Buchanan,
Norma and
Alieen Folkes,
Mrs. and Mrs.
Emmett Perdue,
Mrs. Emmett Perdue and Mrs.
Mrs. Wollee

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Emmett Perdue and Mrs.
Mrs. Bollee

Peay were chaperons.

riman having elected his own directors, the presumption is that the Georgia Central stock will become the property of the Illinois Central."

PEONAGE CASES

BALTIMORE, March 8.—In an interview relative to pending peonage cases Attorney-General Charles J. Bonaparte to-day said.

"As to peonage, it is simply the restrict to constant to the case of the said.

report was printed, there were pending in the department about ninety complaints of peonage, many of them affecting a considerable number of individuals. Some of these have received attention in some form, and some careful investigations have been made. Whenever the evidence justing the state of the evidence justing in the department about ninety which broke out to-day in the store-to-day in the store of the Superior Paper Company and did damage estimated at between \$75, on the bright and golden shore, which consists of two stories and a basement, will be rebuilt at once. One made. Whenever the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence of the evidence of the evidence justing the state of a car, with incomplete the evidence of complaints of peonage, many of them affecting a considerable number of inTo encourage the use of wide-tire wagons on the public roads.

Relating to the sale of goods (being an act to establish a law uniform with the laws of other States on that subject), known as the uniform sales bill.

To regulate the practice of pharmacy and the composition, branding, possession, dispensing and sale of drugs, poison and narcelles, and to repeal certain existing act in restles, and to repeal certain existing acts in relation thereto.

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prejudice sometimes renders it hard to select a really impartial grand or petit jury. Nevertheless, the department believes that even unsuccessful prosecutions are useful in these cases, by enlightening and stimulating public opinion, and also by warning possible victims against dangerous neighborhoods. The details of some of these alleged offenses are very revolting."

Mr. S. T. Morgan, president of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, of Richmond, has been elected a direc-

ON SENATE BILL 106

I met a fellow weeping, the tears
were dowing fast;
His boots were covered up with mud,
his form with gloom o'ercast;
Said I, "My friend, what alls you?
What can the matter be?"
He raised his face up to mine, and
said, "My friend, just see!"

He handed me a paper and pointed to the piece
That had Judge Mann's bill printed,
"the sawmill men to fleece";
He said, "Just read it slowly and
see what luck Pm in;
I've broke my wagon, killed a mule
and cussed Judge Mann like sin,

"And yet Judge Mann is trying (but
I hope he'll fall)
To fine me a hundred dollars or
dump me into jail."
Said I, "My friend, cheer up, cheer
up; don't let a thing like that
Disturb you, nor distress you, or get
you out of whack,

"The Judge has just met 'Blackstone' and got a whift o' rum
Mixed with a 'Ithen' o' moonshine, that's put him on the hum;
He'll see his mistake presently, for without much hesitation,
The sawmill men will get him in a hig investigation."

—From a Virginia Exchange,

DULL CAMPAIGN THROUGHOUT CITY

Public Show Little Interest in Race for Mayor and for Seats in Council.

FEW LIVE ISSUES AS YET

Question of Municipal Lighting Plant to Be Submitted to the Voters.

Even the most desperate attempts on the part of ward heelers have falled to create any particular amount of in-terest in the municipal campaign,

Verily yours, BIADSONG BILL

MISS FIGG HOSTESS

OFFICERS ELECTED

nnual Meeting of Baptist Sunday-School Association Held Yesterday. With the largest attendance known or years, the annual convention of the Baptist Sunday-School Association

GARTER IN TOBACCO

may never be given in understandable figures.

With the voters considering the question of a special bond issue for a municipal lighting plant, the advisability of increasing the city's holdings will be fairly determined by the people, while at the same time the candidates for Council will be asked to explain more specifically just where and how they stand. In other words, they must indicate if they favor or opposes the operation of water and lighting plants by the city.

Several meetings will probably be held this month, but the number, will be small as compared with that of former campaigns.

FIRE IN FIREPROOF HOUSE

An alarm in the evening, a few hours before, called the department to a blazing pile of straw on the Boulevard. All the straw was consumed.

BROTHER IS CAUGHT

Alfred Faulkner, brother of Rober aulkner, the negro who ran amuck a

Services were held at the Salvation Army headquarters last night in memory of Miss Lillie Moore, who died suddenly on Friday, Although not a member of the army, Miss

EATING WITH HIS **STOMACH**

That's what the man who bolts his food without the roughly chewing it, tries to do.

This is particularly true when he uses soft, starchy foods, which seldom get the necessary digestion by the saliva, as nature intended, because most people swallow such foods as quickly as possible. This leads to weakened digestive organs, fermentation, imperfect nutrition, and sometimes appendicitis.

Grape-Nuts

must be chewed, and for this, as well as other reasons, this food has saved many from chronic intestinal troubles and all the misery that means. If there's one thing about Grape-Nuts of greater interest than its scientific food qualities, it is its remarkable practical adaptability to all weakened conditions of the digestive organs and its power to build them up quickly,

"There's a Reason."

Claim They were manited.
On the complaint of two women that they had been insulted by him, Tom Miffleton was arrested yesterday afternoon by Sergeant Balley and locked up in the First Police Station. The women claim that Miffleton whistled to them and tried otherwise improperly to approach them.

KILLED WITH BOLT

Maidox and His Cousin Fight Over Small Sum of Money.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LEESBURG, VA., March 8.—Information has been received here of the killing of R. T. Maddox, of Pleasant Valley, Loundoun county, about 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon, Maddox is well-known in the county, and was considered a dangerous man. From the meagre information obtained Maddox was on, his way to Alexandria and met

OBITUARIES

Bernard Garcia Conti.

Bernard Garcia Conti, the sixteen, year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Conti, died at the home of his parents, No. 329 North Eighteenth Street, yesterday morning at 2:30 o'clock.

The funeral services will be held at the Union Station Methodist Church to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

William H. Williams died yester-day afternoon at 5:50 o'clock, at his home, No. 2999 East Broad Street. Announcement of the funeral ar-rangements will be made later. Mrs. Arthur L. Peters. Mrs. Arthur L. Peters died yesterday, afternoon at the Memorial Hospital, Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

David H. Keister.

[Special H. Keister.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BLACKSBURG, VA., March 8.—Mr.
David H. Keister died ut his home near
Blacksburg yesterday affermon, aged
eighty-six years. Mr. Keister was the
oldest man in this section, a life long
resident of the community and widely
connected throughout Montgomery and
Glas counties. He leaves a wife, formerry Miss Robinson, one brother, Mr.
Christopher Keister, and ning sons and
daughters. Mr. Harmon Keister, a
merchant of this place, and Mrs. W. W.
Gray are atmong these. The funeral
will be held from the home Monday
and burial will be made in the town
cemetery.

air, witners was well known in the county, and he is survived by the fol-lowing brothers and sisters: Dr. Wai-ter Withers, of Nelson county; Mrs, Flora V. Withers and Mrs. George D. Saunders, of Buckville.

DEATHS

We miss thee, darling Bernard, And the house is sad and drear Without thy smiling presence Thy footsteps and voice so dear.

There is an empty chair; We miss you, oh! our loved one; We miss you everywhere. Home's sweet sunshine seems to vanish As thy face no more I see, And without thy loving presence, It no more seems home to me.'

Funeral from Union Station Methodist Episcopal Church TUESDAY, March 10th, at 3:30 P. M. Friends are invited to attend. Baltimore, Petersburg and Gor-donsville papers please copy. BLAINE.—Died, at Victoria, Va., Saturday morning, Mrs. LUCY ENOLA
BLAINE, aged twenty-two years, Of
a sunny, winsome temperament, she
had many friends to whom her death
is a great sorrow. Mrs. Blaine is
survived by her husband, If, W.
Blaine; her mother, three sisters and
a brother.

The body passed through the city
yesterday morning on the way to
the family home in Powhatan, where
the funeral will be held TO-DAY.

BERKLEY.—Died, at the residence of her son-in-law, C. O. Ehrler, 1403 Taylor Street, Sunday, March 8th, at 3:25 P. M., Mrs. CATHERING BERKLEY, in the eighty-third year of her age.
Funeral will take place from St.
Mary's German Catholic Church
THS (Monday) AFTERNOON at 4

BEW.—Died, March 8th, at 1 A. M., at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bew, No. 609 State Street, THOMAS E. BEW, aged two years, five mouths and twenty-seven days. Funeral from residence THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, March 9th, at 3 e'clock. Interment in Oakwood.

PETERS.—Died, at the Memorial Hos-pital, Sunday, March 8, 1908, at 3:30 P. M., Mrs. ARTHUR L. PETERS. Funeral notice later.

WRIGHT,—Died, at 100 1-2 West Jackson Street. March 7th, at 5:30 P. M., Mrs. MARY FLOURNOY WRIGHT, in the sky-eighth year of her age, Sha leaves one son, a sister and three nices to mourn their loss.

Funeral from the Leigh Street Methodist Episcopal Church THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, March 2th, at 2 o'clock.

WILLIAMS.—Died, yesterday after-noon at 5:50 o'clock, at his resi-dence, 2909 East Broad Strek, WILLIAM II WILLIAMS, in the eighty fourth year of his age. Funeral notice later.

IN MEMORIAM

KEILEY,—In sad but loving rememberance of our dear brather, ROBERT J. KELLEY, who died one year ago to-day, March & 1997, Gone, but not fergotten.
BY HIS SISTER AND BROTHERS.